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SPRINGFIELD MAN SENTENCED FOR CHILD PORN

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. – Todd P. Graves, United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, announced that a Springfield, Mo., man was sentenced in federal court today for possession of child pornography.

William Larry McAnally, 58, of Springfield, Mo., was sentenced by U.S. District Judge Richard E. Dorr this morning to two years and six months in federal prison without parole.

On Dec. 23, 2003, **McAnally** pleaded guilty to being in possession of a computer hard drive that contained three or more images of child pornography. **McAnally** admitted that he obtained child pornography from Web sites and downloaded photographs to floppy disks, CDs, and the hard drive of his computer. Among those images, Graves added, were sexually explicit photos of children estimated to be younger than 10 years old.

This case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Rose A. Barber. It was investigated by the Greene County, Mo., Sheriff's Department, the Phoenix, Ariz., Police Department and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

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